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9 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
10 NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

11 MICHEL GELINAS, an individual,

12 Plaintiff,

13 vs.

14 THE BERGQUIST COMPANY, a Minnesota
15 corporation, and DOES 1 – 20, inclusive,

16 Defendants.

Case No.: C-08-02137 PVT

**CONSENT TO PROCEED BEFORE A
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE**

17 In accordance with the provisions of Title 28, U.S.C. Section 636(c), the undersigned party
18 hereby voluntarily consents to have a United States Magistrate Judge conduct any and all further
19 proceedings in the case, including trial, and order the entry of a final judgment. Appeal from the
20 judgment shall be taken directly to the United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit.

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23 DATED: July 17, 2008

Respectfully submitted,

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